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Mike SOUMOKIL)	Group Art Unit: Unassigned
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For: METHOD AND SOFTWARE APPLICATION FOR COMPUTER AIDED
 CUSTOMER INDEPENDENT CASH COLLECTION USING A STATE FIELD IN A
 DATA RECORD, being a **National Stage filing** of PCT International Application No.
 PCT/EP2004/052750, filed on November 2, 2004.

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Sir:

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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97(b), Applicant brings to the attention of
 the Examiner the documents on the attached listing. This Information Disclosure
 Statement is being filed concurrently with the above-referenced application.

Copies of the listed international preliminary reports on patentability, search
 report, and foreign patent documents are attached. Applicant notes that this application
 is related to another U.S. patent application filed concurrently herewith [Attorney Docket
 No. 07781.0271-00], which is based on a PCT international application that published
 as WO 2005/043427A1 (copy enclosed).

Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner consider the listed documents and indicate that they were considered by making appropriate notations on the attached form.

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Applicant further reserves the right to take appropriate action to establish the patentability of the disclosed invention over the listed documents, should one or more of the documents be applied against the claims of the present application.

If there is any fee due in connection with the filing of this Statement, please charge the fee to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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		EP 1164519A2	12-19-2001	AHMED, Nadeem		
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